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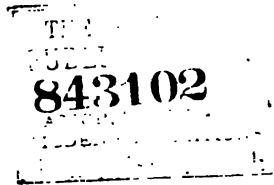
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Editor's Note

The *Suggestive List of Children's Books for a Small Library*, compiled by Miss Helen T. Kennedy and published by the Wisconsin Library Commission in 1910, is out of print. This new list of *Children's Books for First Purchase* has been prepared for librarians of small libraries, and for parents and teachers. It contains a large part of the Suggestive List of 1910, and follows that in general form and character. The introduction to that list is reprinted here, as it explains the purpose and use of the list. Titles out of print or out of date have been omitted or replaced, and new titles and editions, changed editions and prices have been included.

The main list contains 680 titles. Of these, 200 are starred for first purchase. 132 new titles have been added to the list of 1910, and *Books for Reference Use* and *Books for Youngest Readers* are now included in the main list. The annotations contain many new titles. Attention is called to these and to the enlarged supplementary lists, especially *Books for Mothers and Teachers*, and to the new lists, *Aids in Book selection* and *Aids in Story-telling*. Books of interest to Boy scouts and Camp-fire Girls are included in the lists *Camping and Outdoor Life* and *Camping Stories*.

Acknowledgments. Recent lists compiled by various libraries and library commissions have been helpful in preparing this list, especially the *A. L. A. Booklist*, *A. L. A. Catalog 1904-1911*, *Brooklyn Public Library* lists, *Utica Public Library* list of *Books for Home Reading*, *New York Best Books*, and the *List of books for Elementary Schools*, published by the *Minnesota Board of Education*. The editor is grateful also for the generous co-operation of the publishers and children's librarians who have assisted her, and especially to Miss Elva L. Bascom of the Wisconsin Library Commission, and Miss May Massee, editor of the *A. L. A. Booklist*.

M. H.

Madison, Wisconsin.
April, 1915.

Introduction to Suggestive List of Children's Books for a Small Library

The Wisconsin Suggestive List of 1902, containing a list of books for adults supplemented by one for children, has been out of print for some time. The list for adults was revised and reprinted in 1905. That for children has been revised and, supplemented by a careful study of children's books and various lists published since 1902, is now issued as the Suggestive List of Children's Books for a Small Library.

Scope. The list comprises four hundred and eighty-three titles for children in the first eight grades. Following the main list are found books for youngest readers, books for mothers and teachers, beautifully illustrated books, popular stories for boys and girls, and lists of books appearing in series.

Purpose. The Suggestive List is designed to aid librarians and members of book committees in the selection and purchase of books for small libraries, and should be used as a *first* buying list, supplemented later by other and more extensive lists.

In making the selection of titles, two things have been kept in mind: first, the desire to maintain in the children's rooms a high standard of literary excellence, to include the two or three hundred books of real merit and value which in the opinion of most teachers and librarians, every child ought to know; second, the necessity of including books for popular reading—books that may be of little value in themselves or from a literary standpoint, but may serve as "stepping stones" for the boys and girls who have not acquired the reading habit or whose standards are low.

A number of Swedish and Norwegian stories and myths have been included, because so large a percentage of the population of the state is of Scandinavian parentage.

In this list of five hundred books, an effort has been made to cull the best among the new books as well as to keep the best of the old. Some books have been included which the children would not voluntarily choose, but which they can be encouraged to read and enjoy, if the librarian herself knows and loves them.

The constant plea for "something new" should not affect the selection of books for the children's room as it too often does the choice for adult reading. We must always have the old, old books in the children's room. The explanation of this may be the same as was made to the old lady examining the toys in a large shop who impatiently inquired, "Do you never have any new toys?" The shopkeeper quietly answered, "No, madam, but the children are new."

Basis of book selection. Of all the tasks that fall to the lot of the librarian, probably the selection of books is the most delightful and at the same time the most difficult. Few librarians have opportunity to study children's books before purchasing, to know which are the poor, the mediocre, and the best, or to keep informed about editions, prices, and binding. They must choose books they do not know, and in their selection must depend largely upon printed comment.

Having less money to spend, the small library is compelled to choose its books with far greater care than the large library, and its aim should be to include the richest and best of all that has been written for children. The librarian with no assistant has little or no time for supervision of the children's reading, and consequently must be careful that the best reading is on the open shelves from which the children select their own books. Especially is care needed in the choice of fiction, that it may be wholesome, interesting, true to life, and of high moral tone, but within the comprehension of the child. It will be noticed that most stories appearing in series have been omitted from the main list. The high standard set by the first story is seldom maintained, and the librarian must be able and willing to say of a series that has deteriorated, "No, we haven't all of this series. We have only the best."

Too much cannot be said of the importance of the proper reading in the grades, of the child's right to know the best fairy tales, the best stories from mythology and folk lore, the finest poems, and tales of heroism, bravery, and patriotism that awaken in him the impulse toward things high and noble. Such reading in childhood lays the foundation for wholesome literary taste in youth and later life.

Editions. Popular books and favorite classics have been issued in a bewildering number of editions. From these, a selection has been made of the two or three editions best suited for library use.

The first edition given is the least expensive that is at the same time thoroughly good in paper, print, and illustration. The price varies from 25c to 50c. Libraries that must be limited to the least expensive books have never been able to obtain so much standard literature in such satisfactory editions as at the present time. When possible, the school book appearance should be avoided and preference given to the attractive editions in decorative covers.

The second choice, given after the entry, "The same" is superior in mechanical make-up or is more comprehensive in scope, with price varying from 50c to \$1.50.

The third choice is still more attractive, being usually a beautifully illustrated book, which may cost from \$2.00 to \$3.00.

The second and third editions are added in the hope that librarians will make an effort to put on the reading tables and shelves the most attractive editions, because of the greater popularity, interest, and usefulness which they give the books.

Annotations. Short annotations are added for the use of the librarian. The notes are sometimes descriptive of the contents or scope of the book, sometimes indicative of the character or probable usefulness of the book, and are often comparative. Much useful information will be overlooked if the notes are not carefully read.

Grades. The grade or grades for which each book is suitable has been indicated. These decisions can be approximate only, as so much depends upon the individual child. To one unacquainted with the books, this suggestion of grade should be helpful.

Reference. Aside from the usual encyclopedias and books of reference, the list includes some titles of books too expensive for the main list, and some that are too difficult for children's reading but are all well worth having on the shelves for occasional reference and consultation, especially for the work with schools.

Classification. A simplified form of the Decimal Classification has been used as being most suitable for the children's room. The class number is seldom carried beyond three figures.

Use of special symbol. As a further aid to selection of a few titles, the Maltese cross (+) has been used to indicate one hundred titles for first purchase, either because of their literary excellence or their deserved popularity. In the supplementary lists, the same symbol has been used again to indicate first choice.

Binding. The advisability of buying books in reinforced or library binding cannot be too strongly urged. Such bindings are frequently advertised by different publishing houses, but cannot be permanently listed for they do not long remain in stock. They can be secured by placing a standing order with the dealer to send such bindings whenever obtainable for all titles ordered. Reference is occasionally made in the list to the Chivers bindings, about which latest information can be secured by addressing this firm, at 911-913 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Frequent mention is made of the new edition of *Everyman's Library* in library binding, as this edition is both inexpensive and satisfactory.

Abridgments. Most librarians and teachers agree that the use of abridged editions of Dickens, Scott, Cooper and other authors is to be deplored and that children should be led to read and enjoy these authors in the original form. On the other hand there are many of the classics which were not intended for children and would never be read by them except in the form of abridgment or adaptation. They are too full of beauty and truth, and withal too entertaining to be omitted from the shelves of the children's room. Therefore, the *Canterbury tales*, *Spenser's Faerie Queene* and other classics have been included in a form suitable for children in the higher grades, with occasional reference to even a simpler adaptation.

Acknowledgments. Much assistance has been derived from a study of the more recent lists, such as: *New York Best Books*, A. L. A.

Booklist, Catalogue of books in the Children's Department of the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh, List of books for Elementary Schools issued by the Oregon Library Commission, *Class-room Libraries* compiled by the Buffalo Public Library, *A Children's Library* compiled by Prentice and Power, and *Books for Boys and Girls* published by the Brooklyn Public Library. Annotations are sometimes taken from these lists and in such cases are attributed.

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Children's Books for First Purchase

In using this list the fact should be kept in mind that different editions of the same book or additional material on the same subject, if more is needed, may be given in any of several supplementary lists and that reference should constantly be made either to these lists or to the index.

For example, the group of Bible stories for children under the heading, 220, *Bible Stories*, is supplemented by at least three titles in the list of *Children's Stories for Telling or Reading Aloud*, page 68, and two titles from *Books in Series*, page 81. If there is a demand for more books of travel than are listed under 910 and 914, titles can be added from *Books in Series*, where the best books are starred. In the same way a study of nature books, fairy tales, fiction, etc., in the main list, with cross reference to special lists of *Illustrated Books*, *Books for Reference Use*, *Popular Books for Boys and Girls*, *Books for Youngest Readers*, etc., will bring together all material on a subject or present the work of the best artists, translators or editors in interpreting favorite classics, fairy tales and stories.

Key to symbols used.

✦ before title, recommended for first purchase.
 Figures in parenthesis following title, suggest the school grades for which the book is suitable.
 Classification number precedes grades indicated.

170 Ethics

- Gulliver, Lucile.** The friendship of nations; with a foreword
 ✦ by David Starr Jordan. Ginn .60
 "Written to lead boys and girls to make friends the world
 over." *Foreword.* Interesting story of war and peace, with
 many quotations and illustrations.
 172 (6-8)

220 Bible Stories

- Baldwin, James.** Old stories of the East. (Eclectic readings)
 Amer. Book Co. .45
 Stories from the Hebrew scriptures. Not in Bible language.
 220 (4-6)
- Bible.** Bible for young people; arranged from the King James
 ✦ version, by Mrs. J. B. Gilder. New ed. Century 1.50
 Twenty-four full page illustrations from the old masters. There
 are omissions and changes; verse and chapter divisions have been
 disregarded and the narrative life of Christ is made up from the
 four Gospels.
 220 (4-6)
- Bible.** Bible stories; ed. by R. G. Moulton. (Children's series
 of the Modern reader's Bible) 2 v. Macmillan ea .50
 The most popular Bible stories given in Bible language. "The
 stories are in the language of Scripture altered only by omis-
 sions." *Preface.*
 220 (6-8)
- Foster, Charles.** Story of the Bible told in simple language.
 Author 1.50
 Old and quaint, but still popular.
 220 (6)

- Gille, R. C.** The story of stories. Macmillan 1.50
 * "One of the best, if not the best, of the lives of Christ written for young people." *Hunt.*
 230 (8)
- Guerber, H. A.** Story of the chosen people. (Eclectic readings) Amer. Book Co. .60
 "Consecutive story of the Jews, written in simple style." *Pref-ace.*
 220 (6-7)

290 Myths and Legends

- Baldwin, James.** Old Greek stories. (Eclectic readings) Amer. Book Co. .45
 Hero stories, simply told.
 290 (4-6)
- Baldwin, James.** Story of the golden age. Scribner 1.35
 Various legends about the causes of the Trojan war and the adventures of the boy Odysseus, ending where Homer begins.
 290 (6-7)
- Baldwin, James.** Story of Siegfried. Scribner 1.50
 The best rendition for children of the Siegfried legends, based on the *Eddas*, the *Volunga Saga*, and the *Nibelungenlied*.
 290 (8)
- Brown, A. F.** In the days of giants: a book of Norse tales. * (Riverside literature series) Houghton .50
 "One of the most readable and attractive collections of Norse myths." *Oregon.*
 290 (4-5)
The same; illus. by E. Boyd Smith. Houghton 1.10
- Buckley, E. F.** Children of the dawn: old tales of Greece. Stokes 1.35
 "Admirable versions of these old tales for older children, well adapted for reading aloud." *A. L. A. Booklist.*
 290 (8)
- Francillon, R. E.** Gods and heroes; or, The kingdom of Jupiter. (Home and school library) Ginn .40
 Covers the whole field in one continuous story.
 290 (4-5)
- Hawthorne, Nathaniel.** Tanglewood tales for girls and boys. * (Riverside literature series) Houghton .40
 Contains a few good illustrations and a full index.
 290 (6-9)
The same; illus. by Milo Winter. (Windermere series) Rand 1.35
 Good edition at moderate price.
The same; illus. by G. W. Edwards. Houghton 2.25
- Hawthorne, Nathaniel.** Wonder book for girls and boys. * (Riverside literature series) Houghton .40
 "One of the best versions of a selection of Greek stories for the higher grades." *Oregon.* Contains six illustrations by G. W. Edwards.
 290 (6-9)
The same; illus. by Milo Winter. (Windermere series) Rand 1.35
The same; illus. by Walter Crane. Houghton 2.75

- Hutchinson, W. L.** The golden porch; a book of Greek fairy tales. Longmans 1.40
 "Stories from Pindar. Full of color and exquisite descriptions which have so much life that children of all ages who like wonder tales will read it with delight." *A. L. A. Booklist*.
 290 (6-8)
- Kingsley, Charles.** Greek heroes. (Home and school library) Ginn .30
 * 290 (4-6)
The same, published under the title *The heroes; or Greek fairy tales*. Macmillan 1.00
The same; illus. by T. H. Robinson. Dutton 2.50
 A beautifully illustrated edition, not very serviceable. An excellent reprint of this edition, on thin paper with illustrations slightly reduced in size is obtainable in library binding, Everyman's library, 50 cents.
- Mable, H. W.** Norse stories retold from the Eddas; ed. by K. L. Bates. Rand .40
 "Should follow Brown's *In the days of giants*, and may be used to lead to Baldwin's *Story of Siegfried*." *Olcott*.
 290 (6-8)
The same; with illus. by George Wright. Dodd 2.00
- Wilmot-Buxton, E. M. ed.** Stories of Norse heroes. Crowell 1.50
 Illustrations most attractive. Norse Eddas simply told in twenty-five stories. More comprehensive than Mable's work and can be used with younger children.
 290 (5-7)

398 Fairy Tales

See also *Books for Youngest Readers*, page 52, and *Illustrated Books for Table Use*, page 61.

- Aesop.** Child's version of Aesop's fables; with a supplement from La Fontaine and Krilof; ed. by J. H. Stickney. Ginn .35
 * 398 (3-4)
The same, published under title *Fables of Aesop*, ed. by Joseph Jacobs; illus. by Richard Heighway. Macmillan 1.50
 398 (3-6)
- Andersen, H. C.** Stories. (Riverside literature series) Houghton .40
 * Collection of beautiful fairy tales told with Andersen's quaint humor and originality.
 398 (4-6)
The same, published under title *Fairy tales and wonder stories*; illus. by Louis Rhead. Harper 1.50
The same, published under title *Fairy stories*; tr. by Mrs. E. Lucas; illus. by Robinson brothers. Dutton 2.50
 Also obtainable in library binding, Everyman's library, at 50 cents.
- Arabian nights.** Arabian nights' entertainments; ed. by F. J. Olcott. Holt 1.50
 * "The best edition for a child's library." *A. L. A. Booklist*. Illustrations colored, but not as attractive as in other editions, listed under *Illustrated Books*, page 61.
 398 (5-7)
- Asbjornsen, P. C.** Norse fairy tales, selected and adapted from the translations by Sir G. W. Dasent. Lippincott 1.25
 "Selections from *Popular tales from the Norse*, with a few from *Tales from the fjeld*." *A. L. A. Booklist*.
 398 (5-6)

- Baldwin, James.** Story of Roland. (Heroes of the olden time) Scribner 1.35
 From the "tales of France." Wilmot-Buxton's *Stories from old French romance*, Stokes, 75 cents, includes two of the Roland stories and others of interest.
 398 (6-7)
- Baldwin, James.** Wonder book of horses. Century .75
 Eighteen stories from the *Horse fair*. Drawn from history, myth, and romance.
 398 (5-7)
- Brown, A. F.** Book of saints and friendly beasts; illus. by F. Y. Cory. (School ed.) Houghton .50
 Old legends of the saints delightfully written.
 398 (4-6)
- Browne, Frances.** Wonderful chair and the tales it told; ed. by M. V. O'Shea. (Home and school classics) Heath .30
 Old fashioned stories and moral tales charmingly told. A serviceable edition in library binding is published by Dutton in Everyman's library, at 50 cents.
 398 (3-4)
The same; with introd. by F. H. Burnett. Doubleday 1.50
- Carroll, Lewis.** (*pseud. of C. L. Dodgson*) Alice's adventures in Wonderland; ed. by Florence Milner; illus. by F. Y. Cory. (Canterbury classics) Rand .30
 "A classic among nonsense stories." *Oregon*.
 398 (3-5)
The same; with 42 illus. by John Tenniel. (Every boy's and girl's library) Macmillan .75
 * *The same*; illus. by Arthur Rackham. Doubleday 1.40
 Illustrations delightful in themselves and interesting in contrast to those of Tenniel.
- Carroll, Lewis.** (*pseud. of C. L. Dodgson*) Through the looking glass; with 50 illus. by John Tenniel. (Every boy's and girl's library) Macmillan .75
 A sequel to *Alice in Wonderland*.
 398 (3-5)
- Collodi, C.** (*pseud. of Carlo Lorenzini*) Pinocchio, the adventures of a marionette. Ginn .40
 A favorite story with the children of Italy. *Pinocchio in Africa*, by Cherubini, Ginn, 40 cents, continues the adventures in rather didactic style.
 398 (4)
The same. (Holiday ed.) Ginn 1.00
- Craik, Mrs. D. M. (M.)** Adventures of a brownie, as told to my child. Harper .60
 Amusing tricks which a fairy plays upon some children.
 398 (3-5)
- Craik, Mrs. D. M. (M.)** Little lame prince; illus. by E. D. Barry. (Home and school classics) Heath .30
 A modern fairy tale, beautiful in spirit, unusual in theme and setting.
 398 (4-6)
 * *The same*; illus. by Hope Dunlap. Rand 1.25
 Quaint and beautiful illustrations, some black and white, some richly colored.

- Darton, F. J. H.** Wonder book of beasts. Stokes 1.35
A collection of 27 of the best fables and tales of animals, including some of the old favorites such as Reynard the fox, Chicken-licken, etc.
398 (6-7)
- Darton, F. J. H.** Wonder book of old romance; illus. by A. G. Walker. Stokes 1.35
Old romances reflect unconsciously the modes of thought and life in the Middle ages, the ethics of chivalry and the customs of feudal times. Told in modern narrative prose and well illustrated.
398 (8)
- Finnemore, John.** Story of Robin Hood and his merry men. Macmillan 1.50
* (Color books for boys and girls)
"A spirited, well told version that can be recommended next to Howard Pyle's. It is without sentimentality and is truer to the spirit of the woods than Tappan's or Creswick's. There are eight fairly good colored illustrations." *A. L. A. Booklist*.
398 (6-8)
- French, Allen.** Story of Grettir the Strong. Dutton 1.25
"This is the only good form of this saga for children's reading and is a vigorous and interesting narrative." *A. L. A. Booklist*.
398 (7-8)
- Greenwood, Grace** (*pseud. of Mrs. S. J. (C.) Lippincott*) Stories from famous ballads; ed. by Caroline Burnite. Ginn .50
Told in charming poetic English with much vigor. The romantic elements have been retained.
398 (5-7)
- Grimm, J. L. and Grimm, W. K.** German household tales. Houghton .60
* (Riverside school library)
"An unusually wise choice of the tales." *Arnold*.
May be had in the Riverside literature series at 40 cents.
398 (3-5)
The same, published under title *Household stories*; tr. by Lucy Crane; illus. by Walter Crane. (Cranford edition) Macmillan 1.50
Collection is incomplete but stories carefully selected.
398 (4-6)
The same, published under title *Fairy tales of the brothers Grimm*; tr. by Mrs. E. Lucas and illus. by Arthur Rackham. Doubleday 1.50
- Hall, Jennie.** Viking tales. (School ed.) Rand .35
Icelandic sagas, stories of kings, battles, and sea voyages, including voyages to Africa.
398 (4-6)
The same; illus. by Lambdin. Rand .60
- Harris, J. C.** Uncle Remus: his songs and sayings. Appleton 2.00
In spite of size, weight and poor wearing quality, this book is included, because all children should know and love the Uncle Remus tales.
398 (5-8)
- Houghton, Mrs. L. (S.)** Russian grandmother's wonder tales. Scribner 1.35
Slavonic folk stories told by a Russian peasant to her little grandson.
398 (4-6)

- Hull, Eleanor, comp.** Boys' Cuchulain: heroic legends of Ireland. Crowell 1.50
 "Thirty tales from the cycle of Cuchulain, 'the hound of Ulster,' who is to Ireland what King Arthur is to Wales and England. Will appeal to girls quite as much as to boys of twelve and older." *A. L. A. Booklist.*
 398 (7-8)
- Jacobs, Joseph, ed.** Celtic fairy tales. (Fairy library) Burt 1.00
 Includes stories of Wales, Scotland and Ireland most delightfully told.
 398 (6)
- Jacobs, Joseph, ed.** English fairy tales. (Fairy library) Burt 1.00
 More than a hundred old English tales.
 398 (4)
- Jatakas.** Jataka tales; ed. by E. C. Babbitt. (School ed.)
 * Century .40
 "The eighteen tales, chiefly about kindness to animals, are simply told, and are illustrated in silhouette." *Minnesota.*
 398 (2-3)
- Kingsley, Charles.** Water babies. (Told to the children)
 * Dutton .50
 Admirably adapted.
 398 (4-6)
- The same;** illus. by Linley Sambourne. Macmillan 1.00
 A scientific story written in the guise of a fairy tale.
- Lagerlöf, S. O. L.** Wonderful adventures of Nils; tr. by V. S. Howard. Doubleday 1.35
 * "So accurate is the author's knowledge of animal life and so stimulating her description of the habits of animate nature, that the book has been adopted in the public schools of Sweden as equal to a text book in natural history." Her *Further adventures of Nils*, Doubleday, \$1.20, continues the story and contains many legends of Sweden.
 398 (6-7)
- La Motte-Fouqué, F. H. K. baron de.** Undine, told to children by Mary MacGregor. (Told to the children) Dutton .50
 "The best edition for children, omitting undesirable portions and telling the story in much simpler language than the older editions." *A. L. A. Booklist.*
 398 (7-8)
- Lang, Andrew, ed.** Aladdin and the wonderful lamp, and other stories. Longmans .75
 One of twelve volumes reprinted from the Fairy book stories, varying in merit but preferable to the original volumes. Books are lighter in weight, smaller in size, less expensive, and well printed. Colored plates add to their attractiveness. Prices vary from 60 to 75 cents.
 398 (4-5)
- Lang, Andrew, ed.** Blue fairy book. New ed. Longmans 1.00
 * Favorite collection of standard fairy tales. In Chivers re-enforced binding, \$1.10.
 The *Fairy tale books* prepared for the use of schools from the *Blue Fairy book* are well made and the stories simply told. Some of the best are
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|------------------------------|----------|-----|
| Cinderella. | Longmans | .20 |
| History of Dick Whittington. | Longmans | .30 |
| Jack the Giant Killer. | Longmans | .20 |
| Little Red Riding Hood. | Longmans | .20 |
| Princess on the glass hill. | Longmans | .30 |
| Prince Darling. | Longmans | .40 |
- 398 (4-6)

- Lang, Andrew, ed.** Red fairy book. New ed. Longmans 1.00
 * Fairy tales from the Norse, French and German.
 398 (4-6)
- Lanasing, M. F. ed.** Fairy tales. (Open road library) 2 v. Ginn ea .35
 * "A careful selection of the favorite old tales, told with beautiful simplicity and in clear, forceful language." *A. L. A. Booklist*.
 398 (3-4)
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- Dodge, Mrs. M. (M.) comp.** Baby days. Century 1.50
Songs, stories and pictures for very little folks.
- Dodge, Mrs. M. (M.) comp.** New baby world. Century 1.50
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- Giddy-go-round;** illus. by Madeline Hall. Warne .80
- Goody Two Shoes.** History of Goody Two Shoes; ed. by Charles Welsh. (Home and school classics) Heath .20

- Greenaway, Kate.** Under the window. Warne 1.50
 * The Greenaway picture books, long out of print, were reissued in 1910 by Warne. Other titles are *Marigold garden*, \$1.50, *Mother Goose*, 60 cents, *Pied Piper*, \$1.50, *Little Ann and other poems*, \$1.00.
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- Grover, E. O.** Overall boys. Rand .45
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 Adorable illustrations and interesting text.
- Grubb, M. B. and Taylor, F. L.** Industrial primer. Heath .30
 Attractive reader giving occupations of little children.
- Haaren, J. H.** Songs and stories: second grade reader. (Goldenrod books) Newson .15
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- Howard, F. W. ed.** Banbury cross stories. (Merrill's story books) Merrill .25
 Seven popular nursery tales, four of which are hard to find in other collections.
 Contents: Titty mouse and Tatty mouse. Chicken-icken. Half chick. Old woman and her pig. Three bears. Lazy Jack. Story of Mr. Vinegar.
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 For younger children than Bayliss' *Lolani*, page 9.
- Kipling, Rudyard.** Just so stories. Doubleday 1.20
 * Best when read aloud.
- Lang, Andrew, ed.** Nursery rhyme book; illus. by L. L. Brooke. New ed. Warne 1.35
 Good selection of rhymes. Delightful illustrations. Introduction gives history of the rhymes.

- Lansing, M. F. ed.** Rhymes and stories. (Open road library)
 * Ginn .45
 Collection of well chosen nursery rhymes, nonsense tales and folklore.
- Lear, Edward.** Nonsense books. 4 v. in 1. Little 1.60
 Includes *Book of nonsense*, *Nonsense songs*, *Nonsense songs and stories*, *Nonsense botany and alphabets*, and *Laughable lyrics*.
- Lucia, Rose.** Peter and Polly in summer. Amer. Book Co. .35
 Simple stories for primary reading. *Peter and Polly in winter* is equally attractive.
- Moore, C. C.** Night before Christmas. Dutton .25
- Mother Goose.** Book of nursery rhymes; arranged by Charles
 * Welsh. (Home and school classics) Heath .30
The same, published under title *Mother Goose's nursery rhymes*; ed. by Walter Jerrold and illus. by John Hassall. Dodge 1.50
 Illustrations crude and not pretty, but strong, simple and clear to a child.
- The same*, published under title *Jolly Mother Goose annual*; illus. by B. F. Wright. Rand 1.25
 One of the most charming Mother Goose picture books. *Our child's favorites*, Rand, 50 cents, is also an attractive collection of verses and stories. Miniature editions are published in the *Bye-lo series*, 8v., 25 cents each, and *Mother Goose series*, 9v., 25 cents each.
- The same*, published under title *Our old nursery rhymes*; the
 * original tunes harmonized by Alfred Moffat; illus. by H. W. Le Mair. McKay 1.50
 Thirty songs with simple music, beautifully illustrated. Familiar tunes.
- The same*, published under title *Little songs of long ago*; "more old nursery rhymes;" the original tunes harmonized by Alfred Moffat; illus. by H. W. Le Mair. McKay 1.50
 Uniform with *Our old nursery rhymes*. In four miniature volumes without music, 35 cents each.
- Mother Goose.** Mother Goose in silhouettes, cut by K. G. Buf-
 fum. Houghton .75
 Twenty-three Mother Goose rhymes. Illustrations unique and attractive. Silhouettes suggestive for paper cutting.
- Mott, S. M. and Chubb, Percival.** Indoors and out: nature and
 * dramatic reader for primary grades. Scribner .30
 Prose and verse for first grade children, delightfully illustrated.
- Mott, S. M. and Dunton, M. B.** Fishing and hunting. (World
 at work series) Amer. Book Co. .30
 Stories of the Eskimos, Indians, Philippine Islands, and Alaska for children of about seven years.
- Newell, Peter.** Pictures and rhymes. Harper 1.25
- Ofiers, Sibylle von.** Etwas von den Würzelkindern. Schreiber (Stechert) .85
 Charminglly illustrated German verses.
- O'Shea, M. V. ed.** Old world wonder stories. (Home and
 school classics) Heath .20
 Contains Whittington and his cat, Jack the giant killer, Tom Thumb, Jack and the bean-stalk.

- O'Shea, M. V. *ed.* Six nursery classics. (Home and school classics) Heath .20
 * Contains The house that Jack built, Mother Hubbard and her dog, Courtship of Cock Robin, Dame Wiggins of Lee, The old woman and her pig, and The three bears.
- Our doggies. Dutton paper, 50c.; linen .75
- Our farmyard. Dutton paper, 50c; linen .75
- Parkinson, Ethel. Dutchie doings. Dodge 1.00
 * Bright verses and pictures for smallest children.
- Perrault, Charles. Tales of Mother Goose; tr. by Charles Welsh. (Home and school classics) Heath .20
 Contents: Cinderella. Sleeping beauty. Little Thumb. Puss in boots. Riquet of the tuft. Blue Beard. The fairy. Little Red Riding-Hood.
- Potter, Beatrix. Tale of Benjamin Bunny. Warne .50
 This and other little books by the same author are exceedingly popular among the children but are not at all serviceable, unless purchased in Hunting's reinforced binding, 50 cents.
- Poulsson, Emilie. Finger plays for nursery and kindergarten. Lothrop 1.25
- Poulsson, Emilie. Through the farmyard gate. Lothrop 1.25
- Pretty bunny pets. Dutton 1.00
 Colored illustrations are mounted on heavy pasteboard, bound on linen strips at back, making a serviceable picture book.
Pretty pussies, same style and price.
- Robinson, Louise. At the open door. Silver .40
 Attractive out-of-door stories, poems, pictures.
- Robinson, Louise. In toyland. Little .40
- Roodknight, Mrs. comp. Old fashioned rhymes and poems. Longmans .50
 "Especially pleasing, brief collection of simple poems designed primarily for younger children." *N. Y. best books.*
- Saxby, Lewis. Life of a wooden doll. Duffield 1.25
 Little children find these pictures of doll life most entertaining.
- Scudder, H. E. *ed.* Book of fables and folk stories. (Riverside literature series) Houghton .40
 * Being a new edition of *Fables and folk stories.*
- Scudder, H. E. *ed.* Book of folk stories. Houghton .60
- Scudder, H. E. *ed.* Verse and prose for beginners in reading. (Riverside literature series) Houghton .25
 Old rhymes, proverbs and simple poems.
- Smith, Gertrude. Arabella and Araminta. Small 1.00
 Repetition of words pleases little children.
- Smith, L. R. Circus book. Flanagan .35
 Story of Ringling's circus in winter quarters at Baraboo; for little children.

- Smith, M. E. E.** Eskimo stories. (School ed.) Rand .40
About animals and people of Greenland and Arctic regions.
- Strong, F. L.** All the year round: a nature reader. 4 v. Ginn ea .30
Nature stories for each season.
- Turpin, E. H. L.** Classic fables; selected and retold for primary grades. (Graded supp. reading) Merrill .30
Has Billinghamhurst illustrations for Aesop's fables.
- Wiley, Belle.** Mother Goose primer. Merrill .32
+ Very attractive with colored illustrations.
- Wiltse, S. E.** Folklore stories and proverbs. Ginn .30
+ Well told and well illustrated with simple drawings.

Books for Reference Use

Useful also are many of the books listed under *Books for mothers and teachers*, page 65, and the lists cited on page 70. The children's room in a small library must depend on the general collection for dictionary, encyclopedia, and *Granger's Index of poetry and recitations*.

- Adams, C. C.** Text book of commercial geography. Appleton 1.30
380
- Bellamy, B. W. and Goodwin, Mrs. M. W. ed.** Open Sesame. 3 v. Ginn ea .50
808
A fine collection of prose and verse for memorizing.
- Bulfinch, Thomas.** Bulfinch's mythology. Rev. ed. Crowell 1.50
+ "A cheap edition in one volume of *The age of fable, The age of chivalry, Legends of Charlemagne* . . . to which some additions have been made." *A. L. A. Booklist*.
290
- Caffin, C. H.** Guide to pictures for beginners and students. Doubleday 1.25
+ Explanation of the principles and qualities that underlie art.
750
- Champlin, J. D. ed.** Young folks' cyclopedia of common things. 3d ed. Holt 3.00
030
- Champlin, J. D. ed.** Young folks' cyclopedia of literature and art. Holt 3.00
030
- Champlin, J. D. and Lucas, F. A. ed.** Young folks' cyclopedia of natural history. Holt 3.00
590
- Champlin, J. D. ed.** Young folks' cyclopedia of persons and places. 6th ed. rev. Holt 3.00
Champlin's encyclopedias are not perfect, but they are easy to use.
030

- Channing, Edward.** Student's history of the United States. 3d rev. ed. Macmillan 1.40
 Difficult, but in the hands of a good teacher, the best.
 973
- Chapman, F. M.** Bird life: a guide to the study of our common birds. Appleton 2.00
 * Perhaps the best identification book for common birds.
 598
- Cumnock, R. L. ed.** Choice readings. New ed. McClurg 1.50
 * Well chosen selections for entertainments, with instructions for presenting.
 808
- Freeman, W. G. and Chandler, S. E.** World's commercial products. Ginn 3.00
 Descriptive account of the economic plants of the world and their commercial usages. Profusely illustrated.
 630
- Gayley, C. M.** Classic myths in English literature and in art. Rev. and enl. ed. Ginn 1.60
 * Stories from Greek, Roman, Eastern and Norse mythology with their relation to literature and art. Based chiefly on Bulfinch, *Age of fable*, McKay, \$1.25, but more comprehensive and more satisfactory for reference use.
 398
- Goss, Harriet and Baker, G. A.** Index to the first 27 volumes of St. Nicholas. Wilson 4.00
 Valuable for reference work. Index to St. Nicholas to date, soon to be published.
 050
- Hornaday, W. T.** American natural history. Scribner 3.50
 Valuable reference book. Popular and well illustrated.
 590
- Keeler, H. C.** Our native trees. Ed. 5. Scribner 2.00
 * Best identification guide for individual use.
 580
- Lane, M. A. L. and Hill, Mabel, ed.** American history in literature. Ginn .50
 * Collection of prose and poetry illustrating the leading events in American history.
 973
- Mathews, F. S.** Field book of American wild flowers. Putnam 2.00
 "Most compact popular handbook yet provided." *N. Y. best books*. Best for identification.
 580
- Parsons, Mrs. F. T. (S.) D.** How to know the wild flowers. New and enl. ed. Scribner 2.00
 Plates are better than those found in other books on flowers.
 580
- Schauffler, R. H. ed.** Our American holidays. Moffat ea 1.00
 * Volumes in series:
 Arbor day. Lincoln's birthday.
 Christmas. Memorial day.
 Flag day. Thanksgiving.
 Independence day. Washington's birthday.
 394

- Scott stamp and coin co.** Postage stamp catalogue. New ed. 1915. Pub. by Company .90
 "Gives date of issue, color, shape, and value of all stamps ever issued. Alphabetical by country." *Kroeger*.
 383
- Standard reference work.** 6 v. New ed. Welles Bros. 21.75
 Prepared especially for school use, but good for children's room.
 Fuller than Champlin, and especially useful for modern biography.
 030
- Tarr, R. S. and McMurry, F. M.** New geographies. Rev. ed. 2 v. Macmillan
 v. 1. Home geography and the earth as a whole. .65
 v. 2. Complete geography. 1.10
 910
- Toothaker, C. R. and others.** Commercial raw materials. * Ginn 1.00
 Broader in scope than Freeman and Chandler (above). Both books useful with school children.
 630
- U. S. Agriculture dep't.** Fifty common birds of farm and * orchard. (Farmers' bulletin 513) Wash. Sup't. of Documents .15
 Descriptions and colored illustrations.
 598
- Weed, C. M.** Our trees: how to know them. Lippincott 3.00
 "138 photographs of trees from nature, by A. I. Emerson, with a guide to their characteristics, distribution and culture by C. M. Weed." *A. L. A. Booklist*. Text and plates excellent for nature study.
 580
- Whitcomb, I. P.** Young people's story of music. Dodd 2.00
 Useful for reference.
 780

Duplicates of shelf-books on industries, products, science, history, geography, and collections of poems and recitations much used, should be kept in reference collection.

Supplementary Lists

Illustrated Books for Table Use

- Aesop.** A hundred fables; tr. by Sir Roger L'Estrange; illus. by Billinghamurst, with introd. by Kenneth Grahame. Lane 1.50
A collection intended for adults but the pictures are thoroughly interpretive and are especially interesting to children.
 398
- The same*, published under title *Aesop's fables*; illus. by Arthur Rackham. Doubleday 1.50
Colored, and black silhouette illustrations.
- Andersen, H. C.** Fairy tales; tr. by H. L. Braekstad; illus. by Hans Tegner. 2 v. Heinemann 5.00
This book is almost prohibitive because of its price but has been included for the unusually sympathetic interpretation of the work of this Danish artist.
 398
- Arabian nights**; ed. with an introd. by W. H. D. Rouse; illus. by Walter Paget. Dutton 2.50
Brief and simple version of the most popular tales with beautiful illustrations, some in color, some in half-tone and many in text.
 398
- The same*; ed. by K. D. Wiggin and N. A. Smith; illus. by Maxfield Parrish. Scribner 2.25
A selection of twelve stories, including the best known and a few of the less familiar, but equally fascinating tales.
- The same*, published under title *Fairy tales from the Arabian nights*; ed. by E. Dixon, illus. by J. D. Batten. Putnam 2.50
Too heavy for circulating but suitable for table use. One of the best of the expensive editions.
- Boutet de Monvel, L. M.** Joan of Arc. Century 3.50
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"New edition of one of the most beautiful picture books ever published in this country for children." A. L. A. Booklist. The text is a brief and simple story, the illustrations full of life, spirit and dignity.
 821
- Brock, H. M.** illus. Old fairy tales: Puss in boots and Jack and the bean-stalk. Warne 1.00
Stories and pictures good. A uniform volume is *Hop o' my Thumb, and Beauty and the Beast*.
 821
- Brooke, L. L.** A nursery rhyme picture book. Warne 1.00
- Browning, Robert.** Pied Piper of Hamelin; illus. by Hope Rand 1.25
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 821
- The same*; illus. by Kate Greenaway. Warne 1.50

- Carroll, Lewis, pseud. of C. L. Dodgson.** *Alice's adventures in Wonderland*; illus. by Peter Newell. Harper 3.00
This is a very different interpretation of Alice from that given in the famous Tenniel illustrations.
398
- The same*; illus. by Bessie Pease Gubmann. Dodge 1.50
With beautiful, colored illustrations.
- The same*; illus. by M. L. Kirk. Stokes 1.50
Has all of the Tenniel illustrations and in addition twelve full page original illustrations colored by M. L. Kirk.
- Carroll, Lewis, pseud. of C. L. Dodgson.** *Through the looking glass*; illus. by Bessie Pease Gubmann. Dodge 1.50
398
- The same*; illus. by Peter Newell. Harper 3.00
- Crane, Walter.** *Mother Hubbard's picture book.* Lane 1.25
Splendid drawing and wonderful color.
- Crane, Walter.** *This little pig's picture book.* Lane 1.25
Six others, uniform with these. Each contains three parts, published separately, paper cover, each 25 cents.
- Defoe, Daniel.** *Robinson Crusoe*; illus. by the brothers Rhead. Harper 1.50
+
- Favorite nursery rhymes** pictured by Ethel Franklin Betts. Stokes 1.00
Quaint, old fashioned and beautiful illustrations.
- Field, Eugene.** *Poems of childhood*; illus. by Maxfield Parrish. Scribner 2.25
821
- France, Anatole.** *Filles et garçons*; illus. by Boutet de Monvel. Hachette (Stechert) .80
A translation into English, with the original illustrations, is published by Duffield, \$2.25.
- Garnett, L. A.** *The muffin shop*; illus. by Hope Dunlap. Rand 1.00
Rhymes and pictures of familiar Mother Goose characters who visit the Muffin man.
821
- Grimm, J. L. K. and Grimm, W. K.** *Fairy tales*; ed. by H. W. Mable and illus. by Ethel Franklin Betts. Barse 1.50
An attractive table copy. Contains twelve favorite tales, with twelve attractive illustrations, six in color.
398
- The same*, published under title *Household tales*; ed. by Marian Edwardes and illus. by R. A. Bell. Dutton 2.50
+ Can be obtained in library binding in Everyman's Library for 50 cents. Illustrations are slightly smaller and some tales omitted.
- The same*; tr. by Mrs. Edgar Lucas; illus. by Arthur Rackham. Doubleday 6.00
Art edition.
- Guigou, P. and Vimar, A.** *L'illustre dompteur.* Plon (Stechert) 2.00
"L'illustre dompteur is greatly enjoyed by children who always refer to it as the French circus book." Moore.
- Hänsel and Gretel**; illus. by M. L. Kirk. Stokes 1.50
Story adapted and simply told. Large illustrations in color will please the little children.

- Hawthorne, Nathaniel.** Wonder book and Tanglewood tales
 * for girls and boys; illus. by Maxfield Parrish. Duffield 2.25
 290
- Hughes, Thomas.** Tom Brown's school days. Putnam 3.00
 Many photographic illustrations.
- Irving, Washington.** Child's Rip Van Winkle; illus. by M. L. Kirk. Stokes 1.50
 The twelve colored illustrations are charming. Story slightly adapted for young children.
- Kingsley, Charles.** Water babies; illus. by T. H. Robinson. Dutton 2.50
 398
The same; pictured by George Soper. Doubleday 1.35
 Has both black and white and colored illustrations.
- Labler, W. comp.** Kling-klang gloria. Tempsky (Stechert) 1.10
 German songs, beautifully illustrated.
- Laboulaye, Edouard.** Fairy tales; illus. by A. A. Dixon. Dutton 2.50
 398
- La Fontaine, Jean de.** Fables; adapted and illus. by Boutet de Monvel. S. P. C. K. (Gorham) 2.00
 This edition is chosen because of the charming small illustrations in color on each page, with the accompanying text in verse.
 398
- Lagerlöf, S. O. L.** Wonderful adventures of Nils; tr. and ed. by V. S. Howard. Doubleday 2.50
 Beautiful end-papers; illustrations colored but not always excellent.
- Lamb, Charles.** Adventures of Ulysses; illus. by M. H. Squire & E. Mars. Harper 2.50
 800
- Lamb, Charles and Lamb, Mary.** Tales from Shakespeare; illus. by N. M. Price. New ed. Scribner 1.50
 Twenty illustrations, richer in coloring, more sumptuous and more elaborate in design than Rackham's.
 800
The same; illus. by George Soper. Doubleday 1.35
 Has both black and white and colored illustrations.
- Lear, Edward.** Pelican chorus; illus. by L. L. Brooke. Warne 1.25
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 Selections from *Nonsense songs* delightfully illustrated in color.
- La Motte-Fouqué, F. H. K. baron de.** Undine; adapted from the German by W. L. Courtney and illus. by Arthur Rackham. Doubleday 2.50
 398
- Lucas, E. V.** Four and twenty tollers. McDevitt-Wilson 1.75
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 An attractive picture book of industries.
- Maeterlinck, Maurice.** The children's Blue bird, by Georgette Leblanc (Madame Maurice Maeterlinck) Dodd 2.50
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 A beautiful table book.

- Mother Goose.** Nursery rhymes; illus. by Mabel Chadburn. Dutton 2.50
 An admirable selection of nursery rhymes is found here and the illustrations in color and in black and white make the book unusually attractive.
- The same,** published under title *The Jessie Willcox Smith Mother Goose*; illus. by Jessie Willcox Smith. Dodd 2.50
 A full collection, with attractive illustrations in color and black and white.
- Rhys, Ernest, ed.** Fairy gold: a book of old English fairy tales. Dutton 2.50
 Beautiful illustrations by Herbert Cole in black and white, and in color. Both stories and illustrations are suitable for children of ten years and over. Also obtainable in library binding, Everyman's library, 50 cents.
 398
- Sage, Betty.** Rhymes of real children; illus. by Jessie Willcox Smith. Duffield 1.50
 Beautiful table book. The verses are charming and the illustrations, whether full page or marginal, are most attractive.
- Sewell, Anna.** Black Beauty; illus. by Cecil Aldin. Stokes 2.00
 590
- Smith, E. Boyd.** Farm book. Houghton 1.50
 A series of colored pictures illustrating real life on a farm. The pictures are so clearly and simply drawn, and so full of detail that they not only interest and amuse the child, but convey much information. Descriptive text can be read by a child of the fourth grade, but pictures will interest younger children as well.
- Smith, E. Boyd.** Railroad book. Houghton 1.50
 This, and the *Seashore book*, are similar to the *Farm book*.
- Stevenson, R. L.** Child's garden of verses; illus. by E. Mars & M. H. Squire. Harper 2.00
 Same illustrations are reduced and used in the 75 cent edition by Rand.
 821
- The same;** illus. by Jessie Willcox Smith. Scribner 2.25
- Thackeray, W. M.** Rose and the ring; illus. by Gordon Browne. Stokes 1.25
 Delightful nonsense story written to amuse a sick child. This edition has spirited illustrations and an attractive picture cover.
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Books for Mothers and Teachers

Books for older people to use with the children, to read aloud to the children, or from which to draw inspiration and suggestions for the guidance of children in their reading.

Some titles are included here because they are difficult for the average child, but like Malory's *Boy's King Arthur*, edited by Sidney Lanier, are invaluable source material, full of the spirit of the original work and giving an admirable picture of the time. Good editions of some of the fine old classics are given here rather than with the list of books for children, because so few young children are prepared to read for themselves and enjoy such classics as Spenser's *Faerie Queene* or Chaucer's *Tales*.

Some books will prove helpful to mothers, who wish to arouse the interest of children in pictures, nature study or in the making of things. Books on children's reading are added for inspiration and enthusiasm and for the helpful suggestions they contain for both home and school reading.

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| Bryce, C. T. | Child-lore dramatic reader. | Scribner | .30 |
| | Twenty-seven folk tales, fables and rhymes in dialogue form, two to four pages each. | | |
| | 822 | | |
| Cabot, Mrs. E. (L.) and others. | Course in citizenship. | | |
| + | | Houghton | 1.25 |
| | A graded collection of stories, poems, and suggestions. | | |
| | 320 | | |
| Cabot, Mrs. E. (L.) | Ethics for children. | Houghton | 1.25 |
| + | | | |
| | Graded collection, similar to above, for purpose of giving moral instruction in school. | | |
| | 170 | | |
| Chaucer, Geoffrey. | Story of Chaucer's Canterbury pilgrims, re-told by K. L. Bates. (Canterbury classics) | Rand | .40 |
| | Excellent edition for teachers' use. With illustrations, Rand, \$1.75. | | |
| | 821 | | |
| Colby, J. R. | Literature and life in the school. | Houghton | 1.25 |
| | A plea for the best reading. | | |
| | 807 | | |
| Colby, L. E. | Talks on drawing, painting, making, decorating for primary teachers. | Scott | 1.50 |
| | Clearly and vivaciously written, full of suggestions for directing children of the primary grades. | | |
| | 740 | | |
| Field, W. T. | Finger posts to children's reading. | McClurg | 1.00 |
| | Contains excellent suggestions in such chapters as The influence of books, Reading in the home, Reading in the school, etc. | | |
| | 028 | | |
| Forbush, W. B. | Manual of play. | Jacobs | 1.50 |
| + | | | |
| | Practical suggestions for simple equipment of playroom, yard and gymnasium, discusses various kinds of plays, toys and games, with an appended graded list of toys, and a selective bibliography. | | |
| | 790 | | |

- Froehlich, H. B. and Snow, B. E.** Text books of art education.
v. 1-2, each 25c.; v. 3, 30c.; v. 4-6, each 45c.; v. 7-8,
each 55c. Prang
Verse and prose text, with illustrations that teach the principles of drawing and the use of color. "Books become more directly instructive as series proceeds." *N. Y. best books.*
740
- Gaye, Selina.** World's great farm: some account of Nature's crops and how they are grown. (Standard school library)
Macmillan .50
580
- George, M. M. ed.** Primary plan books. New ed. 3 v. Flanagan
Autumn. 1.25
Winter. 1.25
Spring. 1.50
Useful collections of poems, stories, suggestions, arranged by months.
372
- Hall, W. S.** From youth into manhood. Association Press .50
Best book on sexual physiology and hygiene for parents to use with boys. Not for open shelves.
612
- Harron, J. S. and others.** Course of study for normal school pupils on literature for children. Elm tree Press 1.00
Lessons planned to assist teachers in gaining acquaintance with children's books. Many useful lists are included.
028
- Hazeltine, M. E. ed.** Anniversaries and holidays; references and suggestions for picture bulletins. Wis. Free Library Commission .25
Sent free to Wisconsin libraries on application. New edition in preparation.
394
- Hodges, George.** Child's guide to the Bible. Doubleday 1.20
For study; excellent reading references and text.
220
- Holton, M. A. and Rollins, A. F.** Industrial work for public schools. Rand .90
Useful both for mothers and teachers. Especially good because simple and homely materials are used for industries and games.
680
- Hood, M. G.** For girls and the mothers of girls. Bobbs 1.00
"A sane, well-balanced presentation of the essential physiological facts, with good advice for the protection and preservation of health and the possibilities of motherhood. More explicit on the physical side though not less idealistic in feeling than Smith's *Three gifts of life*" (see page 67). *A. L. A. Booklist.*
612
- Hoxie, J. L.** Kindergarten story book. Bradley .50
- Hurl, E. M.** How to show pictures to children. Houghton 1.00
*
A very useful book with lists of pictures and suggestions for further reading.
750
- Johnston, Bertha and Chapin, Fanny.** Home occupations for boys and girls. Jacobs .50
790

- McClintock, P. L.** Literature in the elementary school. Chicago Univ. Press 1.00
 Helpful in teaching a love of books.
 807
- McCormack, M. A.** Spool knitting. Barnes .75
 Gives pictures of articles, such as muffs, dolls, sweaters, mats, etc., which can be made from the knitted cord or flat web.
 640
- Mackay, C. D.** How to produce children's plays. Holt 1.20
 Practical and helpful suggestions for "general stage-directing, costuming, and setting of a children's play," for children between six and fourteen. A graded list of plays, and special lists for occasions and groups, are valuable.
 793
- McMurry, C. A.** Special method in reading in the grades. Macmillan 1.25
 Includes lists of books for grades one to three, and books for teachers.
 028
- Malory, Sir Thomas.** The boy's King Arthur; ed. for boys with introd. by Sidney Lanier. Scribner 1.80
 Stirring tales of knights and chivalry drawn from Malory's fifteenth century history. Rearranged and simplified but preserving the archaic form of the original.
 398
- Morley, M. W.** Song of life. McClurg 1.10
 The principle of the reproduction of life in the plant and animal world told simply and beautifully to use with little children.
 570
- Olcott, F. J.** The children's reading. Houghton 1.00
 * "A very readable and trustworthy guide for parents, discussing the influence of good and bad books, children's interests, ways of guiding reading, and presenting in separate chapters the different classes of literature for children with principles and definite suggestions for selection. Each chapter is followed by a list of books or articles, well chosen and furnished with helpful notes."
A. L. A. Booklist.
 028
- Poulsson, Emilie.** Finger plays for nursery and kindergarten. Lothrop 1.25
 372
- Sage, Elizabeth and Cooley, A. M.** Occupations for little fingers. Scribner 1.00
 For use of grade teachers, mothers and settlement workers. Follows work of kindergarten. Includes card work, raffia, paper cutting, clay-modeling, weaving, bead work, crocheting and knitting, etc.
 680
- Smith, N. M.** Three gifts of life. Dodd .50
 Sex hygiene for girls, sensible and easily understood.
 612
- Stevenson, Augusta.** Children's classics in dramatic form. 5 v. Houghton
 Collection of little plays and dialogues adapted from Aesop, Grimm, Andersen, Arabian nights, etc.
 Book 1 for 2d grade. .30
 Book 2 for 3rd grade. .35
 Book 3 for 4th grade. .40
 Book 4 for grades 5-6. .50
 Book 5 for grades 7-8. .60
 822

- Torelle, Ellen.** Plant and animal children. (School ed. 50c)
 * Heath 1.00
 "Mothers will find it useful in presenting to children the simple facts of the origin and development of plant and animal life."
A. L. A. Booklist.
 590
- Weed, C. M. and Emerson, Philip.** School garden book.
 Scribner 1.25
 The most extensive and useful all round guide yet published.
 Part 1. Outline of work for each month from September to August.
 Part 2. Exercises in garden making.
 716
- Wiggin, Mrs. K. D. (S.) and Smith, N. A.** Pinafore palace: a book of rhymes for the nursery.
 Doubleday 1.35
 For mothers and teachers to learn and read aloud.
 821
- Wilson, L. L. W.** Picture study in elementary schools: a manual for teachers. 2 v. in 1. Macmillan 1.25
 Contains descriptions of pictures, references for reading and questions for the teacher to ask the child. Very helpful for the teacher and more comprehensive than Emery, *How to enjoy pictures.*
 750

Children's Stories for Telling or Reading Aloud

See also list of *Books for Mothers and Teachers*, page 65, and list of *Aids in Story-telling*, page 71.

- Bailey, C. S.** Firelight stories; folk tales retold for kindergarten, school and home. Bradley 1.00
 "Old tales from many languages, retold and in some cases considerably adapted. Especially useful to mothers, teachers, and librarians who tell stories to children." *A. L. A. Booklist.*
- Bailey, C. S.** For the story-teller: story telling and stories to tell.
 * Bradley 1.50
 Suggestions and stories.
 372
- Bailey, C. S. and Lewis, C. M.** For the children's hour. Bradley 1.50
 Selected and adapted for use of story tellers. Stories on many subjects; such as holidays, industries, heroism, etc.
- Boston collection of kindergarten stories;** written and selected by Boston kindergarten teachers. Hammett .60
- Bryant, S. C.** How to tell stories to children. Houghton 1.00
 *
 "Discussion of purpose, advantage, and art of story telling, followed by a selection of graded stories and list of books containing available material." *N. Y. best books.*
 372
- Bryant, S. C.** Stories to tell to children. Houghton 1.00
 Fifty-one stories with some suggestions for telling.
- Coe, F. C.** First book of stories for the story-teller. Houghton .80
 Gives no instruction or advice but is a useful collection of stories, most often wanted by teachers.
- Hopkins, W. J.** Sandman: his farm stories. Page 1.50
 This and other collections by the same author are very useful for reading aloud to little children.

- Hodges, George.** When the King came. Houghton 1.20
Especially good for reading aloud to children.
230
- Houghton, Mrs. L. S.** Telling Bible stories. Scribner 1.25
* Discussion of Old Testament tales, their adaptation and interpretation for the child, but not putting them in form for actual use.
220
- Lagerlöf, S. O. L.** Christ legends; tr. from the Swedish. Holt 1.10
"Scarcely suited to the children's room, but of special value to the story teller." *N. Y. best books.*
230
- Lyman, Edna.** Story-telling: what to tell and how to tell it. McClurg .75
Specially good in suggestions for cycle stories for older children.
372
- Olcott, F. J. ed.** Good stories for great holidays. Houghton 2.00
* 120 stories, well selected.
808
- Olcott, F. J.** Story-telling poems. Houghton 1.00
* 821
- Poulsen, Emilie.** In the child's world; stories for kindergarten, primary schools, and homes. Bradley 2.00
*
- Richards, Mrs. L. E. (H.)** Golden windows. Little 1.00
This collection and the one by Slosson are recommended by Mrs. Bryant "for their unusual and very valuable closeness to the form of oral delivery."
- Salisbury, G. E. and Beckwith, M. E.** Index to short stories: an aid to the teacher. Row .50
An aid to the finding of stories to illustrate several hundred topics.
028
- Slosson, A. T.** Story-tell Lib. Scribner .50
Stories told by a little crippled girl to her neighbors. Homely, told in dialect, but each containing some beautiful lesson or truth.
- Thorne-Thomsen, Mrs. Gudrun, comp. and tr.** East o' the sun and west o' the moon, with other Norwegian folk tales. Row .60
398
- Wiggin, Mrs. K. D. (S.) and Smith, N. A. comp.** Story hour: a book for the home and the kindergarten. Houghton 1.00
* Stories for reading aloud or for telling, with no need for adaptation or arrangement. The introduction is delightful and full of suggestions.
- Wiltse, S. E.** Kindergarten stories and morning talks. Ginn .75
Useful for teachers, containing suggestions for telling the stories. Not suitable for children's reading.
372
- Wyche, R. T.** Some great stories and how to tell them. Newson 1.00
Specially useful in selecting stories from the classics, for older children.
372

Aids in Book Selection for Children

The following lists will be helpful to the librarian in selecting more books on special subjects, and in suggesting groups of books to different children.

General Lists

- Carnegie library of Pittsburgh.** Catalogue of books in the children's department. 1909. Pub. by the library 1.00
- Hewins, C. M.** Books for boys and girls. 3d ed. rev. 1915. A. L. A. Pub. Board .20

Graded Lists

- Buffalo public library.** Graded list of books. 1909. A. L. A. Pub. Board .25
- Utica public library.** Books for home reading. 4th ed. 1913. Pub. by the library .05

Christmas Lists

- Carnegie library of Pittsburgh.** Gifts for children's bookshelves. Pub. by the library .05
- St. Joseph public library.** A good resolution: two good books a year for my child, selected by C. E. Rush. Pub. by the library
- Wisconsin—Free library commission.** Children's books for Christmas purchase, comp. by Marion Humble. 1913-14. Pub. by the commission
- Free to Wisconsin libraries.

Lists on Special Subjects

- Brooklyn public library.** Books that girls like. 1914. Pub. by the library .05
- Choosing an occupation. 1913. Pub. by the library .10
- Carnegie library of Pittsburgh.** Patriots. 1912. Pub. by the library .05
- Cleveland public library.** Seventy-five books of adventure for boys and girls. 1913. Pub. by the library .05
- New York public library.** Heroism. 1914. Pub. by the library .05
- Power, E. L.** List of books for older girls. 1914. St. Louis pub. library .05
- Stearns, L. E.** Books for girls and young women. 1911. Wis. Free Library Commission
- Free to Wisconsin libraries.

Aids in Story-telling

Boston public library. Finding list of fairy tales and folk stories.	Pub. by the library	.05
Brotherton, N. C. Fairy stories to tell and suggestions for the story-teller.	Wilson	.10
Carnegie library of Pittsburgh. Stories from the ballads of Robin Hood.	Pub. by the library	.05
— Stories from the Norse.	Pub. by the library	.05
— Story hour courses for children from Greek myths, the Iliad and the Odyssey.	Pub. by the library	.05
Jacksonville (Fla.) public library. The story hour. 1915. ✦	Pub. by the library	.05
Power, E. L. and others. List of stories and programs for ✦ story hours.	Wilson	.20
Salisbury, G. E. and Beckwith, M. E. Index to short stories.	Row	.50

Popular Books for Boys and Girls

Short lists of stories on subjects often asked for by the older children. The basis of selection in compiling these lists has been popularity and wholesomeness in spirit and tone, rather than literary excellence alone. Some of the titles are usually shelved in the adult collection. Books recommended for first purchase are starred.

Sea Stories

- Adventures at sea. Harper, 60c.
 Alden, W. L. New Robinson Crusoe. Harper, 60c.
 Bullen, F. T. Cruise of the Cachalot. Grosset, 50c.
 Cooper, J. F. The pilot. Putnam, \$1.25.
 ✱ Dana, R. H. Two years before the mast. Houghton, \$1.50.
 ✱ Doubleday, Russell. Year in a yawl. Grosset, 75c.
 ✱ Drysdale, William. Young super-cargo. Wilde, \$1.25.
 Dudley, A. T. Full-back afloat. Lothrop, \$1.25.
 ✱ Duncan, Norman. Adventures of Billy Topsail. Revell, \$1.00.
 Frazar, Douglas. Perseverance Island. Lothrop, 60c.
 ✱ Grenfell, W. T. Adrift on an ice-pan. Houghton, 75c.
 Hayes, I. I. Cast away in the cold. Lothrop, 60c.
 Janvier, T. A. In the Sargasso sea. Harper, \$1.25.
 ✱ Kipling, Rudyard. Captains courageous. Century, \$1.50.
 Leighton, Robert. Golden galleon. Scribner, \$1.35.
 — Wreck of the golden fleece. Scribner, \$1.35.
 ✱ London, Jack. Cruise of the Dazzler. Century, \$1.00.
 — Tales of the fish patrol. Macmillan, \$1.50.
 Munroe, Kirk. Dorymates. Harper, \$1.25.
 Nordhoff, Charles. Merchant vessel; a sailor boy's voyages. Dodd, 40c.
 Sea stories retold from St. Nicholas. Century, 65c.
 Slocum, Joshua. Around the world in the sloop Spray. Scribner, 50c.
 ✱ Stevenson, R. L. Kidnapped. Scribner, \$1.25.
 Stoddard, W. O. Longshore boys. Lippincott, \$1.25.
 ✱ Synge, M. B. Book of discovery. Putnam, \$2.50.

Naval Life

- ✱ Abbot, W. J. Story of our navy for young Americans. Dodd, \$2.00.
 Adventures of Uncle Sam's sailors. Harper, 60c.
 ✱ Allen, W. B. Navy blue. Dutton, \$1.50.
 — Cleared for action. Dutton, \$1.50.
 Barnes, James. Commodore Bainbridge. Appleton, \$1.00.
 ✱ — Midshipman Farragut. Appleton, \$1.00.
 — Loyal traitor. Harper, \$1.50.
 — Yankee ships and Yankee sailors. Macmillan, 50c.
 Brady, C. T. On the old Kearsarge. Scribner, \$1.35.
 — Reuben James. Appleton, \$1.00.
 ✱ Clark, H. H. Boy life in the United States navy. Lothrop, \$1.25.
 — Joe Bently, naval cadet. Lothrop, \$1.25.

- * Codd, M. J. With Evans to the Pacific. Flanagan, 60c.
- Doubleday, Russell. Gunner aboard the Yankee. Doubleday, \$1.25.
- * Drysdale, William. Cadet Standish of the St. Louis. Wilde, \$1.25.
- * Evans, R. D. Sailor's log. Appleton, \$2.00.
- Frothingham, J. P. Sea fighters from Drake to Farragut. Scribner, \$1.20.
- Huntington, H. S. His Majesty's sloop Diamond Rock. Houghton, \$1.35.
- Kaler, J. O. Boys of '98. Estes, \$1.00.
- When Dewey came to Manila. Estes, 50c.
- Nordhoff, Charles. Man of war life. Dodd, 40c.
- * Norton, C. L. Jack Benson's log. Wilde, \$1.00.
- A medal of honor man. Wilde, \$1.00.
- Seawell, M. E. Imprisoned midshipman. Appleton, \$1.25.
- * — Little Jarvis. Appleton, \$1.00.
- Midshipman Paulding. Appleton, \$1.00.
- Soley, J. R. Sailor boys of '61. Estes, \$2.00.
- Three years behind the guns. Grosset, 50c.

Stories of Pirates

- Adventures of pirates. Harper, 60c.
- * Bennett, John. Barnaby Lee. Century, \$1.50.
- Cooper, J. F. Red rover. Putnam, \$1.25.
- * Frothingham, J. P. Sea-wolves of seven shores. Scribner, \$1.20.
- * Pyle, Howard. Jack Ballister's fortunes. Century, \$2.00.
- Scott, Sir Walter. The pirate. Macmillan, \$1.25.
- * Stevenson, R. L. Treasure island. Grosset, 50c.
- Stockton, F. R. Buccaneers and pirates of our coast. Grosset, 50c.

Stories of the West

- Adams, Andy. Log of a cowboy. Houghton, \$1.35.
- Wells brothers, the young cattle kings. Grosset, 50c.
- * Altsheler, J. H. Forest runners. Appleton, 50c.
- Free rangers. Appleton, 50c.
- Ames, J. B. Pete, the cow-puncher. Holt, \$1.50.
- Baylor, E. M. H. A little prospector. Lothrop, \$1.00.
- Bindloss, Harold. Boy ranchers of Puget Sound. Stokes, 50c.
- * Brooks, Noah. Boy emigrants. Scribner, \$1.25.
- Boy settlers. Scribner, \$1.25.
- Canfield, H. S. Boys of the Rincon ranch. Century, \$1.00.
- Doubleday, Russell. Cattle ranch to college. Grosset, 50c.
- Eggleston, G. C. Long knives, the story of how they won the West. Lothrop, \$1.50.
- Garland, Hamlin. Boy life on the prairie. Harper, \$1.50.
- Long trail. Harper, \$1.25.
- * Grinnell, G. B. Beyond the old frontier. Scribner, \$1.50.
- Jack in the Rockies. Stokes, \$1.10.
- Jack, the young canoe man. Stokes, \$1.10.
- Jack, the young cowboy. Stokes, \$1.25.
- Jack, the young explorer. Stokes, \$1.10.
- * — Jack, the young ranchman. Stokes, \$1.10.
- Jack, the young trapper. Stokes, \$1.10.
- * — Trails of the pathfinders. Scribner, \$1.50.
- ed. Wolf hunters. Scribner, \$1.25.
- Hamp, S. F. Dale and Fraser, sheepmen. Wilde, \$1.25.

- * Hough, Emerson. *Story of the cowboy*. Appleton, \$1.35.
- * Inman, Henry. *Ranche on the Oxhide*. Macmillan, 50c.
- Loughhead, Mrs. F. (H.) *Abandoned claim*. Houghton, \$1.25.
- Lummis, C. F. *King of the broncos, and other stories of New Mexico*. Scribner, \$1.25.
- * Munroe, Kirk. *Campmates*. Harper, \$1.25.
- Remington, Frederic. *Crooked trails*. Grosset, 50c.
- *Pony tracks*. Harper, \$1.75.
- Roosevelt, Theodore. *Stories of the great West*. Century, 60c.
- Thompson, A. E. *Brave heart Elizabeth*. Lothrop, \$1.25.
- * Thompson, A. R. *Gold seeking on the Dalton trail*. Little, \$1.30.
- * Wheeler, J. C. *Captain Pete of Puget Sound*. Dutton, \$1.50.
- *Western frontier stories*. Century, 65c.

Indian Stories

- Altsheler, J. A. *Apache gold*. Appleton, \$1.35.
- * — *Horsemen of the plains*. Grosset, 50c.
- *Last of the chiefs*. Appleton, 50c.
- *Quest of the four*. Appleton, \$1.50.
- *Riflemen of the Ohio*. Appleton, \$1.50.
- Baylor, F. C. *Juan and Juanita*. Houghton, \$1.50.
- Beck, R. E. *Little Buffalo Robe*. Holt, \$1.35.
- * Brooks, E. S. *Master of the Strong Hearts*. Dutton, \$1.50.
- Carruth, Hayden. *Track's end*. Harper, \$1.00.
- Cooper, J. F. *Deerslayer*. Putnam, \$1.25.
- * — *Last of the Mohicans*. Holt, \$1.35.
- Custer, Mrs. E. (B.) *Boots and saddles*. Harper, \$1.50.
- Eastman, C. A. *Indian boyhood*. Doubleday, \$1.60.
- Eggleston, G. C. *Big brother*. Putnam, \$1.25.
- Ellis, E. S. *Logan the Mingo*. Dutton, \$1.50.
- *Osceola, chief of the Seminoles*. Dutton, \$1.50.
- * Grinnell, G. B. *Blackfeet Indian stories*. Scribner, \$1.00.
- *Jack among the Indians*. Stokes, \$1.10.
- *Story of the Indian*. Appleton, \$1.35.
- *Indian stories retold from St. Nicholas*. Century, 65c.
- Jackson, Mrs. H. (H.) *Ramona*. Little, \$1.35.
- Janvier, T. A. *Aztec treasure-house*. Harper, \$1.50.
- * King, Charles. *Campaigning with Crook*. Harper, \$1.25.
- La Flesche, Francis. *Middle five*. Small, \$1.25.
- Lange, D. *Lost in the fur country*. Lothrop, \$1.00.
- Munroe, Kirk. *At war with Pontiac*. Scribner, \$1.15.
- * — *Flamingo feather*. Harper, 60c.
- Parkman, Francis. *Oregon trail*. Little, \$1.35.
- * Partridge, Mrs. E. N. *Glooscap, the great chief*. Eaton, \$1.50.
- * — *Indian legends for Camp fire girls*. Eaton, \$1.25.
- Pendleton, Louis. *In the camp of the Creeks*. Penn, \$1.00.
- Rolt-Wheeler, Francis. *Boy with the U. S. Indians*. Lothrop, \$1.50.
- Schultz, J. W. *On the warpath*. Houghton, \$1.25.
- *Quest of the fish-dog skin*. Houghton, \$1.25.
- *Sinopah, the Indian boy*. Houghton, 45c.
- * — *With the Indians in the Rockies*. Houghton, \$1.25.
- * Stoddard, W. O. *Little Smoke*. Appleton, 50c.
- *On the old frontier*. Appleton, 50c.
- * — *Red mustang*. Harper, 60c.
- *Red patriot*. Appleton, \$1.35.
- *Talking leaves*. Harper, 60c.
- *Two arrows*. Harper, 60c.

- Tomlinson, E. T. Tecumseh's young braves. Lothrop, \$1.25.
 White, S. E. Magic forest. Macmillan, 50c.
 Wood, C. S. On the frontier with St. Clair. Wilde, \$1.25.

Camping and Outdoor Life

- * Adams, J. H. ed. Harper's outdoor book for boys, p. 295-333; 350-66. Harper, \$1.50.
- Baden-Powell, Sir R. S. S. Boy scouts beyond the seas. Lippincott, \$1.00.
- Beard, D. C. American boy's handy book, p. 148-60. Scribner, \$1.50.
- * ——— Boy pioneers. Scribner, \$1.50.
- Field and forest handy book, p. 176-309; 339-51. Scribner, \$1.50.
- Out door handy book, p. 377-90. Scribner, \$1.50.
- * ——— Shelters, shacks and shanties. Scribner, \$1.25.
- Bond, A. R. Scientific American boy; or, The camp at Willow Clump island. Munn, \$2.00.
- * Cave, Edward. Boy scouts' hike book. Doubleday, 50c.
- * ——— Boys' camp book. Doubleday, 50c.
- Davis, C. G. Motor boating for boys. Harper, 50c.
- * Eastman, C. A. Indian scout talks. Little, 80c.
- Fraser, C. C. Every boy's book of handicraft, sports and amusements. Estes, \$2.00.
- Gibson, W. H. Camp life in the woods. Harper, \$1.00.
- * Kephart, Horace. Book of camping and woodcraft. Outing, \$1.50.
- White, S. E. Camp and trail. Doubleday, \$1.25.
- * Withington, Paul, ed. Book of athletics. Lothrop, \$1.50.
- Young, Ernest. Adventures among hunters and trappers. Lippincott, \$1.50.

Camping Stories

- Alden, W. L. Cruise of the Canoe club. Harper, 60c.
- Barbour, R. H. Four in camp. Appleton, \$1.35.
- Bartlett, F. O. The forest castaways. Century, \$1.50.
- * Canfield, Mrs. F. A. (C.) Kidnapped campers. Harper, \$1.25.
- Cheley, F. H. Told by the camp fire. Assoc. press, 75.
- Comstock, Mrs. H. T. Camp Brave Pine. Crowell, \$1.25.
- Dimock, A. W. Dick among the lumber-jacks. Stokes, \$1.50.
- * ——— Dick in the Everglades. Stokes, \$1.25.
- Du Bois, M. C. Lass of the silver sword. Century, \$1.50.
- Earl, J. P. School team in camp. Penn, \$1.00.
- Eaton, W. P. Boy scouts in the White mountains. Wilde, \$1.00.
- Boy scouts of Berkshire. Wilde, \$1.00.
- Boy scouts of the Dismal swamp. Wilde, \$1.00.
- Eggleston, G. C. Wreck of the Red Bird. Putnam, \$1.25.
- Finnemore, John. Boy scout in the Balkans. Lippincott, \$1.25.
- * Forrester, I. L. The Polly Page ranch club. Jacobs, \$1.00.
- The Polly Page yacht club. Jacobs, \$1.25.
- * French, Allen. Junior cup. Century, \$1.50.
- Hamlin, Mrs. M. (S.) Nan at Camp Chicopee. Little, \$1.20.
- Hornibrook, Isabel. Camp and trail. Lothrop, \$1.50.
- Scout of to-day. Houghton, \$1.00.
- Hough, Emerson. Young Alaskans. Harper, \$1.25.
- Young Alaskans in the Rockies. Harper, \$1.25.
- Young Alaskans on the trail. Harper, \$1.25.
- Loring, J. A. African adventure stories. Scribner, \$1.50.

- Quirk, L. W. Boy scouts of Black Eagle patrol. Little, \$1.00.
 Richards, *Mrs.* L. E. (H.) Merryweathers. Estes, \$1.25.
 Richards, Rosalind. Two children in the woods. Estes, \$1.25.
 Roberts, C. G. D. Around the camp fire. Crowell, 75c.
 Rood, H. E. In camp at Bear pond. Harper, \$1.25.
 Sandys, Edwin. Trapper Jim. Macmillan, 50c.
 Seton, E. T. Rolf in the woods. Doubleday, \$1.50.
 — Two little savages. Doubleday, \$1.75.
 * Thurston, *Mrs.* I. T. The torch bearer. Revell, \$1.00.
 Tomlinson, E. T. Camping on the St. Lawrence. Lothrop, \$1.50.
 — House-boat on the St. Lawrence. Lothrop, \$1.50.
 Wiggins, *Mrs.* K. D. (S.) Summer in a cañon. Houghton, \$1.20.
 * Wilson, J. F. Tad Sheldon, boy scout. Sturgis, \$1.00.

Railroad and Detective Stories

Books in this list should be regarded by the librarian as stepping stones to better literature. They are popular in style and, while they answer the demand for adventure and sensation, should inspire ideas of manliness, integrity, and courage.

Detective Stories

- Davis, R. H. In the fog. Harper, \$1.00.
 * Doyle, *Sir* A. C. Adventures of Sherlock Holmes. Burt, 50c.
 — Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes. Harper, \$1.50.
 — Return of Sherlock Holmes. Doubleday, \$1.50.
 — Sign of the four. Lippincott, 50c.
 Verne, Jules. Tour of the world in eighty days. Burt, \$1.00.

Railroad Stories

- Boys on the railroad. Harper, 60c.
 Day, H. F. Rainy day railroad war. Harper, \$1.00.
 * Drysdale, William. Fast mail. Wilde, \$1.25.
 * Ford, P. L. Great K. & A. robbery. Dodd, 40c.
 Greene, Homer. Pickett's gap. Macmillan, 50c.
 * Merwin, Samuel and Webster, H. K. Calumet K. Macmillan, \$1.50.
 Munroe, Kirk. Cab and caboose. Putnam, \$1.25.
 Pittenger, William. Great locomotive chase. Penn, \$1.25.
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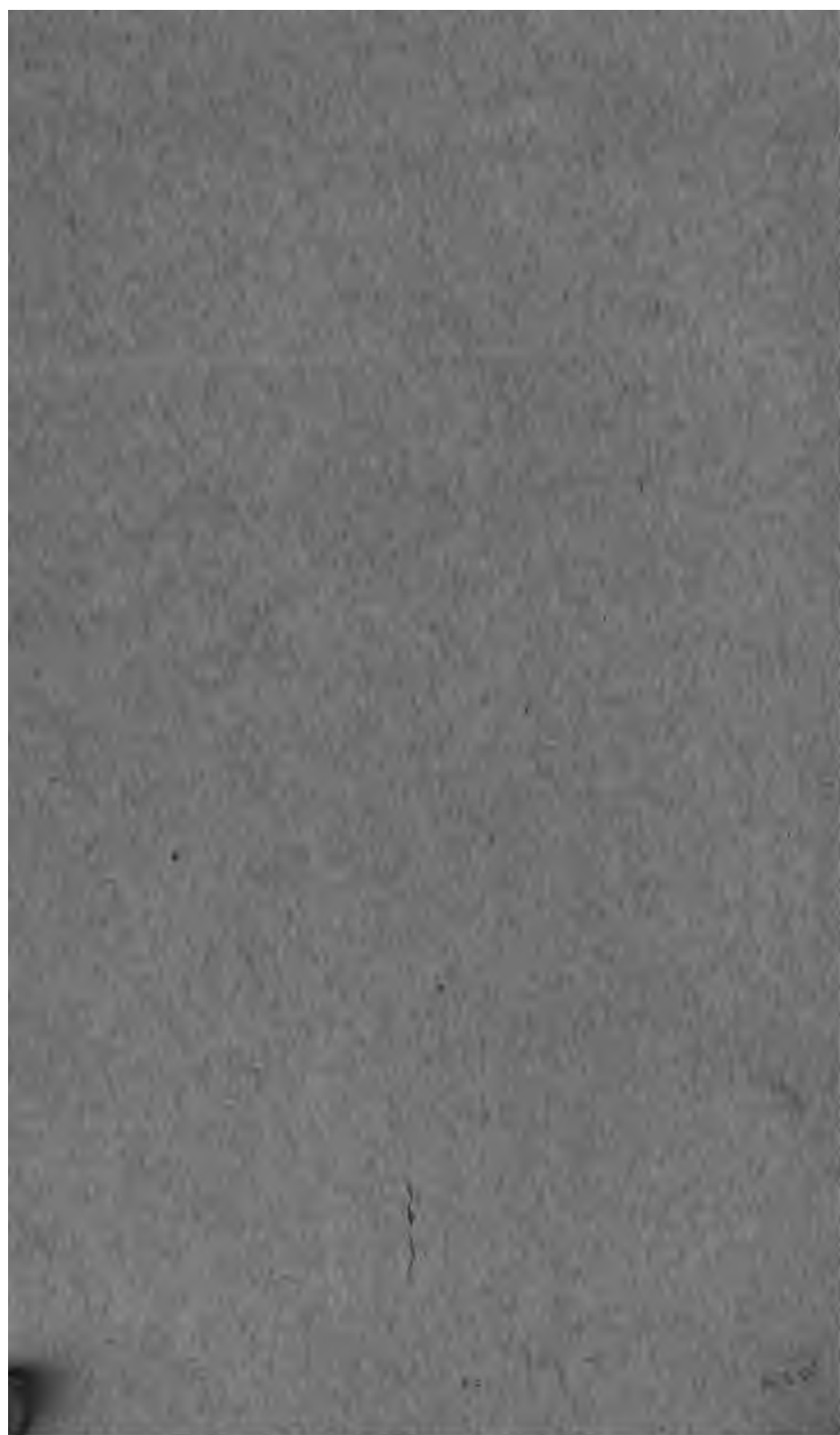
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